## **NOTICE**

## SCHEDULED PREA AUDIT

The Harris County Juvenile Detention Center will be undergoing an audit for compliance with the United States Department of Justice's National Standards to Prevent, Detect, and Respond to Prison Rape under the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) for Juvenile Facilities commencing August 22, 2016.

Any person with information relevant to this compliance audit may confidentially\* correspond with the auditor via the following address:

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- If the person is an immediate danger to her/himself or others (e.g. suicide or homicide;
- Allegations of suspected of child abuse, neglect or maltreatment
- In legal proceedings where information has been subpoenaed by a court of appropriate jurisdiction